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FARMER LYNCHED FOR GIRL'S MURDER

KANSAS CITIZENS HANG ASSAULTER OF GIRL SUNDAY NIGHT

MAN IS TWICE MOVED BY SHERIFF BUT IS FINALLY TRACKED AND CAPTURED

SAINT FRANCIS, Kans., April 18.—(P)—Mob vengeance today claimed the life of Richard Read, 53, confessed attacker and slayer of 8-year-old Dorothy Hunter.

Read, who was protected twice Saturday from rapidly forming mobs by a quick thinking plains sheriff, was located in the Cheyenne county jail where he had been hidden away.

A mob estimated at 200 heavily armed men, motored swiftly into Saint Francis late last night, seized Sheriff A. A. Bacon and Deputy J. H. Indoors, obtained keys to the jail and departed with their prisoner.

Leaving Saint Francis, the automobile caravan headed eastward toward Selden, 75 miles away, home of the school girl victim and her attacker.

About midway between the two small towns and near Atwood, the motorists halted. A rope was suspended from a tree and Read was swung to his doom.

Only a few miles away, in Atwood, was Governor Harry H. Woodring of Kansas, who arrived today on a political campaign tour. Police officers of Rawlings county, of which Atwood was the county seat, failed to intercept the kidnappers. The caravan left the highway.

The lynching took place on the Ed Lynam ranch. More than a score of years ago Chauncey DePew was hanged on a neighboring tract. He died for the slaying of a family in a cattleman's feed.

Read was hurried to Saint Francis yesterday ahead of fifty automobile loads of angry men, after he had led Sheriff Ed McGinley of Thomas county to a hay stack in which he had hidden the girl's body.

Dorothy had been missing since Thursday evening when she returned to the Selden school house for a forgotten book of puzzles.

Read, a neighbor, was arrested because of his previous conviction of assaulting a 15-year-old girl in Colorado. Officers said he confessed he had lured Dorothy to his car with a string of beads, then attacked and beat her to death.

Blames Liquor for Act. ATWOOD, Kas., April 18.—(P)—Darkness and scarcity of trees in

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Many Thousand Chinese Killed In Recent Quake

HANKOW, China, April 18.—(P)—Belated reports, reaching here today through Chinese sources from southeast Hupeh Province, said an earthquake took toll of "several tens of thousands of persons" there April 6 in several towns and villages of the province.

The reports said the quake slightly jarred the Yangtze Valley and they painted a picture of appalling conditions. Their intentness was taken to illustrate the lack of communications in the interior.

The dispatches concluded that the quakes had been "terrible visitors" on the people who already had suffered from the plunderings of communists and bandits.

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ARREST OF MAN AND WOMAN IN KIDNAPING OF DELAWARE GIRL EXPECTED DURING DAY

WILMINGTON, Del., April 18.—(P)—With Hilda Brodsky, 8, returned to her home unharmed, one man was reported under arrest today in connection with the kidnaping of the girl and a known underworld character was hunted in Philadelphia. Police however, denied there had been any arrest.

The man reported to have been taken into custody was said to have been questioned in Wilmington since midnight.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—(P)—Authorities predicted the arrest today of a man and woman alleged to have kidnaped nine-year-old Hilda Brodsky for \$50,000 ransom at Wilmington, Del., Friday. They said they knew the kidnappers.

Hilda was dropped from an automobile at the parish home of the Rev. Fr. Joseph Pugliese yesterday and taken home hysterical but unharmed. Father Pugliese and police declared no ransom was paid.

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Slayer and Victim



BUIE AND STERLING HEARD BY DELEGATES EAST TEXAS C. OF C.

WORK AND CONFIDENCE PRESCRIPTION DR. BUIE GIVES FOR ECONOMIC ILLS

LUFKIN, April 18.—(P)—The East Texas Chamber of Commerce, opening its sixth annual convention here today, got a prescription from its physician-president, Dr. N. D. Buie, for the current commercial maladies.

In work and confidence, said Dr. Buie in his address, lay the cure.

Governor Ross S. Sterling was another of the morning's main speakers. The governor said he had "got a great kick" out of his service in office, and added:

"I want to tell you people of East Texas that in my 14 months as chief executive that I have not done a thing I wouldn't do again."

"What we need," he said in conclusion, "is to get our feet on the ground, to have faith in ourselves, in our neighbors and in the nation and world."

As the convention got under way it appeared likely Gus Taylor or Tyler would be elected the new president and Jacksonville selected as the next convention city. Galveston, Texarkana and Dallas were in the running, however.

"We allow fear to make cowards of us all," Doctor Buie said in his address.

"If I had to get a title for this address I would call it psychopath, irresistible fear," said Dr. Buie. "We don't buy clothing we really need because we are afraid, and so it is with everything. We fear everything in general.

"Just how long this condition will continue depends largely upon how long we allow ourselves to be occupied by these phobias."

"We must work. We had a terrible wild party called the world war. We spent a lot of money. We are back home. In the language of Jesse Jones: 'We have a bad headache, but we cannot expect to have the cake we already have eaten. We must have a new cake.'

"This afternoon there were group meetings on taxation, agriculture, industrial development and public health.

Economy in public finance, and county consolidations were subjects before the taxation group.

Lee Simmons Talks

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After parading through downtown St. Paul preceded by a company of national guardsmen sent by Gov. Floyd B. Olson, Farmer-Laborite, the governor began a series of conferences with members of his party from Iowa, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota and Montana.

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Eight Killed In Explosion



SHOWDOWN IN SALARY SLASH MEASURE HAS BEEN POSTPONED

HOUSE ECONOMY COMMITTEE UNABLE TO AGREE ON RETRENCHMENT PLANS

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—By different approaches, the President's economy program moved briskly forward today on both sides of the capital.

The house economy committee overrode its chairman, Representative McDuffie (D., Ala.), and agreed to incorporate the retrenchment measures in an omnibus bill.

McDuffie wanted to separate them into three groups.

No vote was taken by it, however, to determine whether it would accept the President's furlough plan for government employees instead of a pay out favored by McDuffie.

The senate adopted a resolution to set up a joint commission previously recommended by the President to study reorganization of government departments.

The resolution introduced by Chairman Jones of the appropriations committee was approved without debate on a record vote. Under it the commission would report back to congress within 30 days. The resolution now goes to the house for consideration.

The commission would be composed of three members of the house, three senators and three members appointed by the President.

Meanwhile, Speaker Garner said the house should expect the bill made by the senate in the appropriation bills and said he would recognize Representative Taylor (D., Colo.), to move acceptance of the senate amendments which trimmed \$5,000,000 out of the interior department supply bill.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—The house economy committee was unable to agree today on a retrenchment program and a showdown on the question of cutting government salaries was postponed several days.

Speaker Garner and Representative Snell of New York, the republican leader, who met with the economy group behind closed doors, announced that the naval supply bill would be brought before the house tomorrow.

The committee made no progress on whether to report an omnibus re-

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NORTHWEST TO HEAR ROOSEVELT TONIGHT SUBJECT UNKNOWN

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MEN NATIONALLY PROMINENT LISTED AS SHORT SELLERS

LIST ALLEGED BEAR RAIDERS NOT MADE PUBLIC BY PROBE COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—Richard Whitney, president of the New York Stock Exchange, again sparred successfully with senate banking committee held in reserve a list of short sellers.

Appearing again before a capacity crowd, the 43-year-old exchange head defended market practices and denied short selling was a depressing factor.

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A photograph of the suspected robber, obtained at Houston, was identified by McCommas as that of the man who leaped on the running board of his car, pistol in hand, as he was turning into the street behind the federal reserve bank. The robber forced McCommas to drive to a side street, where he took the money and car and sped away. The car was found abandoned later, and officers for a time lost the track completely.

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Teacher at Seven



I. C. COMMISSION URGES RAIL-WATER LINES USE ROADS

URGE FEDERAL REGULATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—The Interstate Commerce Commission today recommended federal regulation of motor vehicles engaged in interstate commerce and that railroads and water lines be encouraged to use the public highways.

The commission's decision, in the form of recommendations which are expected to be transmitted to congress, makes the following findings:

"That transportation by motor vehicles, buses and trucks, over the public highway is, within certain distances, and in certain respects a superior service and that the rail and water lines should be encouraged in the use of this instrumentality of commerce whenever such

PRESSENCE SOVIET TROOPS ON BORDER DRAWS JAP COMMENT

MILITARY PREPARATIONS RUSSIA INDICATE CLASH WITH JAPAN EXPECTED

TOKYO, April 18.—(P)—Military preparations of Soviet Russia on the North Manchurian border are taken by Japanese military experts as a clear indication that Russia expects a clash with Japan, a spokesman for the foreign office said today.

"Our military experts estimate that the Soviet forces on the Manchurian frontier between Vladivostok and Manchuli now number nine divisions, a total of 70,000 men, with the strongest concentrations in the Pogranichnaya and Manchuli districts, where there are two divisions each," the spokesman said.

The experts assert the dispositions clearly indicate that Russians are expecting a clash with Japan. Although they are of a defensive nature, they are capable also of assuming the offensive."

Reports from Japanese consulate at Harbin, Manchuria, said it was indicated the wreck of a Japanese troop train there last week, causing the death of 14 men, was "the work of Russian communists" although positive proof was lacking.

The foreign office spokesman said Japan was taking a much less alarming view of the situation than the Soviet government apparently did. "We don't believe a clash is imminent," he said, "and unless Soviet Russia sends troops into Manchuria there is no reason to be alarmed. We certainly have no intention of attacking Russia and we do not believe Russia would be so rash as to challenge Japan."

The Japanese forces in North Manchuria total less than two divisions and the entire strength in Manchuria and Korea is less than five divisions, "plus auxiliaries," he said.

Charges Against Japanese. MOSCOW, April 18.—(P)—The government organ Izvestia today reiterated a charge that Japanese militarists in Manchuria inspired Russian "White Guards" to anti-Soviet violence.

"The Japanese militarists," the newspaper said, "are seeking to enlarge the frame of the military conflict in Manchuria."

The organ added that a raid by White Guards on the offices of M. Kuenckoff, Soviet manager of the Chinese Eastern Railway at Harbin, recently was instigated by the Japanese, who "bribed the White Guard clique."

The newspaper added that the Japanese failed in their attempt to have the Chinese authorities search the Chinese consulate at Harbin, and instigated the White Guard raid on the railway offices as the result of this failure.

"These Japanese elements can not evade responsibility for the latest White Guard attack," Izvestia said.

Personal

Art McClung was in Corsicana Saturday from Kerens.

Bob Harris of Blooming Grove was in Corsicana Saturday.

J. P. Seal of Kerens was in

Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. Edna Rowe was in Corsicana Saturday from Kerens.

Mrs. Bruce McDonald of Kerens was in Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Stockton was in Corsicana Saturday from Kerens.

A. J. Beale of Kerens was in Corsicana Saturday.

W. M. Coven of Kerens was in Corsicana Saturday.

W. T. Johnston of Powell was in Corsicana Saturday.

N. S. Crawford was in Corsicana Saturday from Kerens.

Mrs. J. T. Terry of Rural Shade was in Corsicana Saturday.

Jno. Phillips of Rural Shade was in Corsicana Monday.

Jno. Kyser of Kerens was in Corsicana Monday.

C. J. Hall was in Corsicana Monday from Kerens.

Mrs. T. S. Daniel, Jr., was in Corsicana Monday from Trinidad.

Bruce Gillian was in Kerens Monday.

M. E. Rakefate of Barry was in Corsicana Monday.

Jerry Daniels and wife and children of Kerens were in Corsicana Saturday.

Vernon Bruner was in Corsicana Monday from Kerens.

Judge A. P. Mays was in Kerens Monday in the interest of his candidacy for district judge.

Abilene Man Dead In Fort Worth Held To Have Suicided

FORT WORTH, April 18.—(P)—A verdict of suicide was returned today at the inquest of D. M. Matthews, 60, Abilene, who died in a hospital after a passery reported a man was ill.

Justice Richard said the man had taken poison. His body will be taken to Caddo where relatives were located.

Emergency policemen answered the call of the passerby. They found Matthews who told them he was "as good as I ever was" but that "no one would believe me and I couldn't get a job."

In his pocket was found a note reading, "the package you sent me is at the Trinity hotel; no charges against it. But I don't need it."

Pioneer Texas Trail Driver Passes Away

MARLIN, April 18.—(P)—W. W. Hunnicut, 80, pioneer trail driver, peace officer, and surveyor, died last night at his Marlin home. He was a native of Falls county and served for many years as county surveyor.

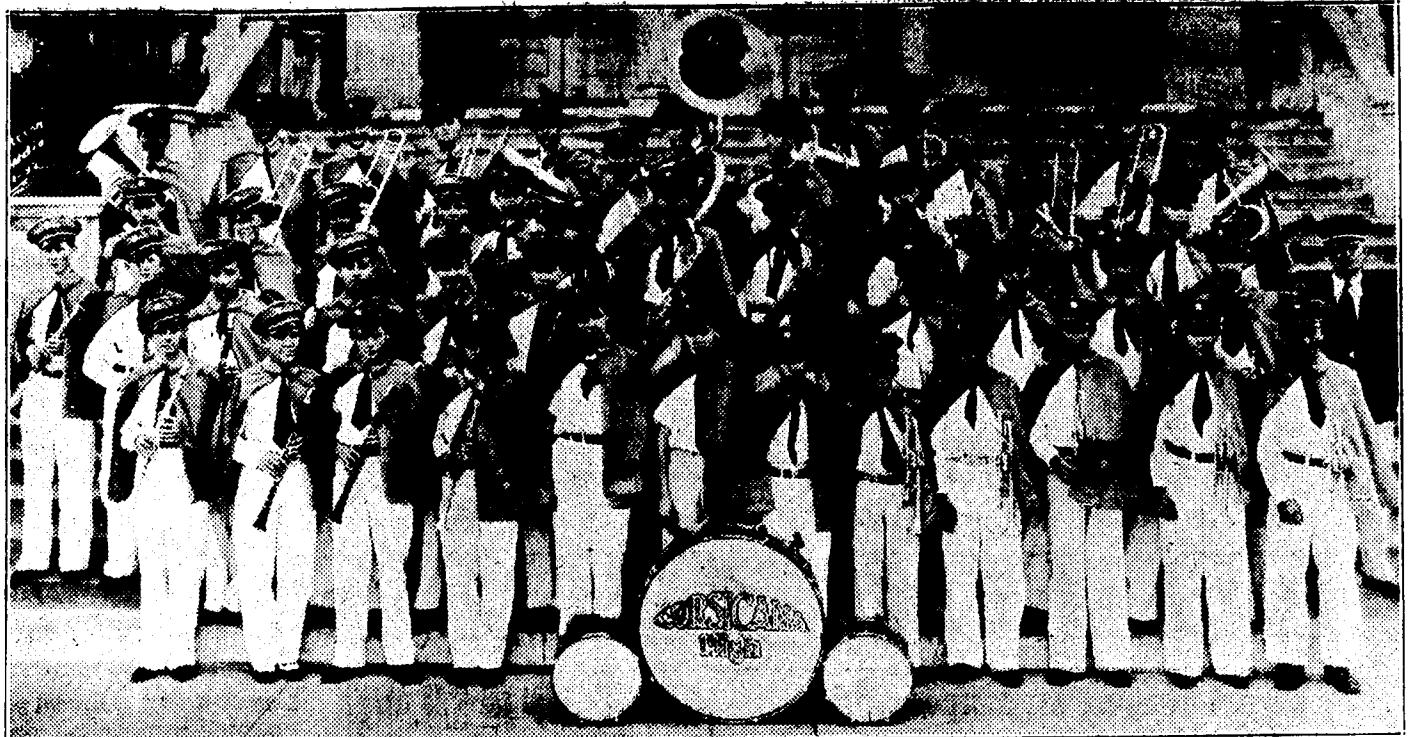
Funeral services were planned this afternoon with burial in the Marlin cemetery. He was survived by three sons, Bob Hunnicut of Benavides, W. W. Hunnicut, Jr., of San Antonio, and Welton P. Hunnicut of Marlin.

His death occurred eight days after that of his brother, R. S. Hunnicut of Marlin, also known widely as a Texas surveyor.

Just Received

A lot of graduation gifts for the boys and girls—Mitchell & McGehee, failed to reveal the body.

High School Band Pictured in New Uniforms



Rich Strike of Gold In Mexico Is Announced

NOGALES, Ariz., April 18.—(P)—

The Herald said today a rich gold strike has been made in the Alter district of Sonora, Mexico.

The terrain stretching southward from Nogales to the Gulf of California.

Gold, placer mined, is pouring

into the city at the rate of \$10,000

weekly and yellow and red nuggets are being sold here for \$15

and \$19 an ounce.

Several thousand placer miners

already are pan-washing and mer-

chants are trading merchandise

for gold dust.

Ramon Elias, prominent Nogales

resident, has filed claims on large

tracts of gold washing machinery

will be taken from here to be

put into operation on a large scale.

Honor Trial

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was the man who fired the shot

that killed Kahahawai.

Kelley announced that although he had alienists coming from the mainland to combat the defense contention Massie was insane at the time of the killing Jan. 8, he did not plan asking any delay in the trial.

Massie was pale but composed. Kelley asked him if he had car-

ried out his plan to the dance.

"Do I have to answer that?"

Massie queried.

"I am asking the question,"

Kelley said.

The naval officer then said he

brought a pint of liquor to the

party. Under further questioning he said he danced twice with Mrs. Massie and gave the remnant of the liquor to the orchestra.

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The witness said, "because it is

an integral part of speculation, the

other part being marginal pur-

chasing. Speculation together with

investments make up the markets

speculation or investment leaves

of the world.

"To take away one part or

the remainder like the man with

but one leg. He has lost his

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parts and accessories which were

imposed by the house, Graham in-

troduced leading figures in the au-

tomobile industry who were seated

in the crowded committee room.

Among them were Edsel Ford,

Walter P. Chrysler and Alfred F.

Sloan, Jr., president of General

Motors.

With emphasis, Graham told the

committee the automobile indus-

try is "sicker than it has ever

been since its start."

"Only the courage and optimism

of our manufacturers," he as-

serted, "has kept the business go-

ing."

Above is a recent picture of the Corsicana high school band, photographed in their new uniforms. The organization will go to Waxahachie Friday, April 22, to compete in the class B high school band contest. This is the third year of the band's existence, and in its first year, won third place in a state contest in Ennis, Personnel:

AUTO INDUSTRY IS OPPOSED TO MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX

SPokesman for Industry Says It Would Strike Directly at Payroll

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—

Committee members asked that

comparative figures be supplied to show the estimated income

from tax on automobiles, trucks

and accessories now in the bill

and a 2 1/2 per cent sales tax

little earlier. George M. Gra-

ham, head of the Rockne Motors

Corporation, had led a group of

opponents of the automobile sales

tax in a concerted drive against

that levy. They said they favored

a general sales tax, excepting food

and clothing, to one which they

contended discriminated against

their industry.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—

The automotive industry, though

its spokesman, George M. Gra-

ham, told the senate finance commit-

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DALLAS COUNTY GRAND JURY ACTS IN RAID SLAYING

TWO FEDERAL PROHIBITION
AGENTS INDICTED RESULT
M'GLOTHLIN KILLING

DALLAS, April 16.—(AP)—Two federal prohibition agents were indicted today by the county grand jury on charges of murder and assault with intent to murder in connection with the killing of Marion McGlothlin and the wounding of his wife in a shooting which resulted when the agents used the McGlothlin store for a rendezvous with a bootlegger they were trying to trap. The agents are L. C. Smith and N. A. Heaton.

The shooting occurred the night of April 8 at the McGlothlin store near Irving. Investigators learned the agents had been trying to buy some liquor from Lester Cox, an alleged bootlegger. Cox told them he had none but thought he could get some. He arranged to meet the agents at the McGlothlin store.

He appeared at the rendezvous, accompanied by his wife, and informed the agents he had been unable to obtain any liquor. The agents then tried to arrest him on the basis of a "buy" they allegedly made some time before. A scuffle resulted and the McGlothlins, who knew nothing about the liquor deal, armed themselves, thinking the agents were robbers. Investigators were told that the McGlothlins never had been connected in any way with the liquor traffic.

McGlothlin grabbed a pistol but before she could use it, the agents shot it from her hand, wounding her. McGlothlin seized a shotgun from behind the counter and, as he raised it, the other agent allegedly shot and killed him. The shotgun exploded, the charge going wild into the ceiling.

In the disturbance, Cox managed to escape. Officers have not been able to locate him. His wife testified before the grand jury as did Mrs. McGlothlin.

The grand jury devoted most of this week to investigation of these calls in all persons who were believed to know anything about the shooting or events leading up to it. Among the witnesses called were five suspected bootleggers apprehended by the dry agents the night of April 8 before the affair at the McGlothlin store. They were called to testify concerning the condition and conduct of the agents.

Government authorities were planning today to post new bonds for the indicted agents.

Smith and Heaton did not testify before the grand jury although they had the right to do so. They continued their duties with the prohibition department after Director Amos W. Woodcock announced he would not suspend them until or unless he found they had not acted in self-defense.

ST. TEXAS WELL ALLOWABLE CUT TO 67 BARRELS DAILY

HOUSTON, April 16.—(AP)—A railroad commission order reducing the per well allowable in the East Texas oil field from 71 to 67 barrels daily became effective this morning. The order was issued here yesterday as the commission paused in its hearing on the regulation of production in the Gulf Coast field.

East Texas was not the only field ordered to cut its production. The Penn oil field in Ector county was reduced from 6,300 to 4,070 barrels daily, while the Reagan county pool was cut from 30,000 to 20,000 and the Howard-Glasscock pool from 26,000 to 24,000.

As the reductions were effective today, no announcement was made that the Hobbs, N. M., pool had been cut from 40,000 to 30,000 barrels daily, effective today.

C. V. Terrell, chairman of the commission, announced that a hearing would be held at Austin April 28 to determine future regulations for the East Texas field. The 67-barrel per well order will expire May 1.

"East Texas production was cut to keep the field within the 320,000 barrel daily limit," Gov. R. S. Sterling had expressed the opinion that a reduction of 62 1/2 barrels would be necessary to keep the giant area from overrunning its limits.

HUBBARD SECURES CENTRAL QUARTERS FOR CITY OFFICES

HUBBARD, April 15.—(Spl.)—The local city commission has leased the Louis Phillips building on Main street and will convert it into a city hall, housing all the departments. Heretofore, the various departments of the city have had separate quarters. The new quarters will provide for the city manager's office, tax assessor and collector's quarters, mayor's office, council room and city court, store room for the street department.

The newly elected city commission, composed of Mayor Tom Pate and Commissioners Ferguson and Jarvis, have selected the swing city officials and set their salaries.

V. T. Sanders, city manager, \$100.

J. R. Hight, water superintendent, \$97.50.

H. O. Bates, city marshal, \$75.

George Thorn, night police, \$30, supplemented by business firms.

S. F. Dyer, superintendent of water lakes, \$10, supplemented by \$25 from members of fishing clubs.

E. Goodloe, superintendent of sewers, \$20.

It is understood the employment is not for any given time but if the employees services are not satisfactory, they can be recalled and others put in their places.

Tyler Caddy Is Shot In Alleged Robbery Attempt

TYLER, April 16.—(AP)—"Titanic" Thompson, internationally known gambler, was questioned here today in connection with the fatal shooting of Jimmy Frederick, sixteen-year-old caddy.

"Titanic," identified as A. C. Thomas of Kansas City, Mo., alleged that the caddy ordered him to raise his hands and that he then fired in self defense. An un-fired pistol and a black mask were found on the boy.

Young Frederick's sisters said the lad had read too many lurid magazines and seen too many detective plot movies.

His name regarded as synonymous with huge wagers on any game of chance or circumstance, "Titanic" generally was reputed always to travel financially "well-heeled" ready to get anything on a bet.

Of late he had been seen much in Texas. Many tall tales have been narrated about his taking on various Texas golf courses, and of his ability with the woods, irons and the rubber ball.

In Dallas some of Texas' outstanding amateurs, men capable of shooting as low as 65 over regular courses, have paid tribute to "Titanic's" wizardry with the golfing implements, although Thompson gambling reputation has been built largely upon his cold-bloodedness, ability and shrewdness, other more widely recognized games of chance.

Young Frederick was shot last night and died today.

Thompson was not held by the police who announced their investigation had been concluded after they asked the gambler a few questions.

**SOUTHERN PACIFIC
ASSUMED CONTROL
COTTON BELT ROUTE**

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(AP)—The Cotton Belt Railroad, which runs south from St. Louis through the black lands of Arkansas and into Texas, now is under control of the Southern Pacific.

The merger of the two roads was consummated yesterday. It increased the Southern Pacific's assets to approximately \$2,500,000,000 and gave that system a line into the inland ports of St. Louis and Memphis, as well as a through carriers in the lower Mississippi Valley's cotton lands.

The Southern Pacific originally purchased 87,000 shares of Cotton Belt (St. Louis Southwestern) preferred and 42,000 shares of common. It obtained an option on 59,320 additional shares of preferred and 24,700 of common, thereby acquiring control of 58 per cent of the stock.

After the merger was completed yesterday, it had filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission its final acceptance of the commission's order in the proceedings instituted by it to acquire purchase of capital stock and control of the Cotton Belt.

The merger added 1,900 miles of lines to the S. P.'s system. The Southern Pacific agreed to give its unrestricted guarantee of an \$8,000,000 loan which the Cotton Belt has asked from the reconstruction finance corporation.

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

District Court.

Arguments of the attorneys in the case of Harvey B. McAllister vs. City of Frost, debt was in progress Saturday morning in the district court. The case has been on trial for several days.

District Clerk's Office.

The following case was filed: Pickering Lumber Sales Company vs. Roy Canady, suit on sworn account.

Warranty Deeds.

O. S. Jennings to E. F. Bain, 2b acres H. H. Horn league survey, \$100.

J. E. McClure et ux to E. L. McClure, lot in Blooming Grove, \$100.

H. A. Johnson et ux to O. J. Johnson, lot 5, block 11, Koren, \$1,000.

Mrs. Overton Heflin Barnett et ux to J. Searcy Heflin, 40 acres Frederick Gibralen and J. A. Price surveys, \$5 and other considerations.

Marriage License.

Hugh Sloan Sparks and Ruby Crawford.

Sheriff's Office.

More than 100 bottles of beer and several dozen glasses of whiskey were seized in three raids conducted early Saturday morning by Deputy Sheriffs Jack Floyd, J. M. Westbrook, O. D. Pickering and Walter Hayes and Bruce Nutt, chief of city detectives, in East Corsicana. Three negroes were arrested and bound over to await the action of the Navarro county grand jury by Judge Sam B. Jordan, who conducted examining trials Saturday morning.

The negroes were formally charged by complaint with the alleged violation of the prohibitory laws.

A negro was arrested Friday by Deputy Sheriffs Westbrook and Floyd on a pistol carrying charge Justice Court.

A woman was fined Friday by Judge Sam B. Jordan on a charge of vagrancy. She was alleged to have taken \$18 from a man. The money was reported returned to the victim.

Two were sent to the county farm Friday by Judge J. L. Cox to work out fines and legal affidavit. One was fined by Judge Cox for the alleged violation of the highway laws.

**Blackburn-Wilson,
Farmer and Willis
For Thursday Night**

Blacky, Blackburn and Benny Wilson on the main card and Marvin Willis and Clyde Farmer on the semi-windup, will feature this week's wrestling card at the Jim Williams arena, it was announced today by the promoter. Several other matches are planned, in addition to a stellar array of preliminaries.

Kruschen at Cooper's Pharmacy, not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back.—(adv.)

BOLD DAYLIGHT ROBBERY STAGED IN DALLAS FRIDAY

LONE BANDIT GETS \$38,000 IN CURRENCY AND MAKES ESCAPE

DALLAS, April 15.—(AP)—A consignment of \$38,000 in currency was stolen from John N. McCommas, guard for the Mercantile Bank and Trust Company of Texas, by a robber who waylaid him today as he was transferring the money in his car from the Federal Reserve bank a few blocks away.

The robber leaped on McCommas' car, thrust a pistol in his face and said, "Turn to the left at the next corner or I'll blow your head off." McCommas was forced to drive three blocks through the business district and then to turn off on a side street where the robber kicked him out of the car and took the wheel himself.

A negro porter, Sam Foxall, was riding with McCommas.

The robber sped several blocks down the side street and then abandoned McCommas' car. Whether an accomplice picked him up there and carried him and the money away in another car had not been determined.

The theft was broadcast over the police radio net immediately and officers placed guards over all roads leading from Dallas.

Police believed the holdup evidently had been carefully planned, as the robber displayed intimate acquaintance with the system of transferring money between the banks. The robber had disguised himself by donning smoked glasses and coating his complexion heavily with face powder.

McCommas said he was a young man about 30 years old. He was wearing a cheaped suit and was comparatively well dressed.

Police believed he might have been a Dallas man, or one who had been in the city long enough to become acquainted with the streets. In directing the course he wanted McCommas to take from the point he boarded the car he designated streets by their names and semesters with the district.

Routine Cash Transfer.

McCommas was making a routine money transfer such as he was assigned to do daily. Accompanied by the negro porter, he drove to the reserve bank parked in the special area in the rear and went in for the money. He brought the money back to the car, placed it in the rear seat where the negro was riding, and drove to the street. He had scarcely turned into the street when he was accosted.

After the robber had ordered McCommas out of the car he waved his pistol at them and shouted, "Now, run up that alley or I'll fill you both full of lead."

The two bank employees took to their heels as directed and the robber climbed into the car, driving it away at full speed. McCommas and the negro hurried back to the bank and reported the holdup. McCommas said the robber had a pistol.

Insurance Covers Loss.

R. L. Thompson, president of the Mercantile Bank, issued a statement saying the loss was covered fully by insurance.

The robbery involved the largest sum of money taken in a Dallas holdup in many years. The last robbery to compare in any way was in Oct. 20, 1930, when six men in a black sedan overpowered a Union Terminal cashier and a bank messenger and took \$16,500.

McCommas' car was taken to police headquarters to be examined for fingerprints and any other clues that might have been left by the robber.

Police gained but a meager description of the robber from McCommas and the negro porter, who said the heavy film of powder on his face made it almost impossible to distinguish unusual features.

Bailed Out.

They were inclined to believe the checkered suit was another piece of disguise to be discarded for one of more conservative markings as soon as the robber made his getaway. The suit was of "loud" gray-checked cloth.

Police expressed belief the robber hurried to a pre-arranged hideout somewhere in Dallas, possibly within a few blocks of where he abandoned the McCommas car.

Police headquarters shortly before noon were notified by a taxi company that one of its cabs was called to place on St. Louis street, near the scene of the robbery, and a man who entered it ordered the driver to proceed south. Police chartered an airplane and were attempting to locate the taxi from the air.

\$50,000 in Bonds Stolen.

LIGONIER, Pa., April 15.—(AP)—While 15 directors and officers of the Ligonier National Bank met 20 feet away, a package of bonds valued at \$50,000 was stolen from the vault of the institution.

C. Frank, president of the bank, said today the theft was perpetrated Tuesday night and was discovered by a clerk the following morning. Security was maintained in the matter while a state bank examiner investigated.

The door of the bank had been left open, Frank disclosed, so directors and officers could enter for the meeting. The vault door was unlocked to permit directors to study books and other records.

Robbers Get \$12,000.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 15.—(AP)—Five men held up nearly a score of employees in the office of

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Items Of Social Interest About Fairfield Folk

FAIRFIELD, April 16.—(Spl.)—The Rev. J. F. Adams of Italy joined his brother-in-law, Rev. J. N. Vincent, here Tuesday and they went to Huntsville to attend a spiritual life meeting. Mr. Adams was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Bernice, who remained here with her cousins, Misses Modena and Carolyn Vincent.

Jim Day, well-known citizen of this section, is reported critically ill.

Mrs. S. V. Ivy, Mrs. Lloyd A. Wait and Miss Lucy Ivy visited Mr. David Daniel at Laney Tuesday.

David Terry and daughter Ruth of Huntsville, and Mrs. G. O. Maddox and daughter of Houston were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tate sunny.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cockrell of Aransas Pass, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned home. They were accompanied by Nolie Richardson.

Frank McDonald, Randall Kirgan and Edgar Garrett attended a meeting of the Masonic Lodge at Oakley Tuesday night.

N. W. Bendy, a local boy, spent a short while here Wednesday while waiting for a bus. Mr. Bendy was very favorably impressed with Fairfield's development and growth.

Mrs. M. A. Riley of Wortham, mother of Mrs. H. B. Stewart and Miss Lydia Riley of Fairfield, is seriously ill and fears are for her recovery.

Mr. Lee Kirgan and the twins spent Friday and Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stub

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THE UNDYING HOPE

The chief hope of humanity through all the ages and in every diversity of its experience and one supported by earnest faith and devotion is that what we call death is not the end of life but no more than the final triumph of the spirit over the imprisoned flesh. Even when doubt and cynicism deny another life, men seek no less for immortality. The spirit of man finds this life far too short — too short for full realization of its ideals and ambitions, too short for the achievement of the complete measure of happiness. It becomes therefore, the habit of the race to look to the future for the final fruits of life, and to the individual this habit takes form as the hope of immortality.

This instinctive trust in the hidden future is recalled whenever a brave and rich life comes to the sudden end of all mortality. It is hard and, indeed, unnatural for us to think that human strength and wisdom, won by long labor and experience, are lost forever from the universal treasury of mankind. The brief life of this world is no more than enough to build the figure of a man, to perfect his powers, temper his strength and bring him the last great gift of wisdom. To believe that these are wasted by death is to surrender reasonable faith and assurance, for our faith in immortality is the main-spring of the best of our service to the human cause.

THE DISHONOR ROLL.

America still holds the unenviable position at the top of the list in the homicide records of the world. Dr. Frederick Hoffman, statistician, who has compiled figures annually for some years, shows that the homicide rate in 164 American cities during 1931 was 10.9 for every 100,000 population. For the same period, Canada's rate was 1.6. The 53 leading cities of the world averaged 3.5. London had 0.8 and Liverpool 0.5. In other words, for every 109 homicides in the United States, London had eight, the Canadian cities 16 and the cities of the world, averaged, had 35.

Philadelphia, with a total of 161 for the year, was sixth in the list of 10 American cities with 100 or more homicides during the year. By percentages, according to population, it was far down the list, as were both Chicago and New York, which had totals of 489 and 586 respectively, according to Dr. Hoffman's figures.

Dr. Hoffman lays this high rate of homicide to public apathy and police incompetence, saying, "Few murderers are caught and fewer are convicted." Police Commissioner Mulrooney's report for New York in 1931, listing 489 homicides and only 30 convictions for first degree murder, tends to bear this statement out. Another point that Dr. Hoffman makes is that American murder trials are long drawn out and the interval between the crime and the punishment, if any, is so long that their relation is generally overlooked.

All these points go right back to the first accusation — public apathy. So long as we condone corruption of the courts and the police we shall continue at the head of this annual roll-call of dishonor.

The work of stabilizing industry and business would make more headway if others would act first.

The fellow who said "The horse is man's best friend," never bet on a horse race.

Oooofffffff!**---By Clive Weed**

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MANCHURIA IN FOR TROUBLE.

It is one thing to set up a puppet government without saying by-your-leave to the people to be governed. It is something else to make those people loyal subjects. That is one of the lessons Japan is learning in Manchuria.

As revolts break out in widely separated parts of the country, as thousands of Chinese soldiers are reported gathering, or on the march, with definite objectives and as no attempt is made to organize a Manchurian army to protect the infant state it becomes clearer and clearer that Henry Pu-Yi and his government are supported solely by the Japanese military, and that the overwhelming Chinese population has very little interest, if any, in the new Manchurian regime. Whatever patriotism exists is Chinese patriotism, exemplified by the fact that although the Chinese bands — amounting in some instances to sizeable armies — may be shot up and scattered, they are able to gather again a few days or weeks later and renew the struggle.

Some apprehension has been expressed over the prospects of war between Japan and Russia. The Soviet government is said to be fortifying the Siberian frontier. It seems more natural to believe that the local Soviet authorities have come to the conclusion that Manchuria is in for a long period of warfare, during which Chinese soldiers will be tempted to seek security on the Russian side of the border, and Japanese pursuers may be ordered to follow them there. Naturally the Russians don't want the Chinese bands, with no visible means of support, running over their crops and through their towns. They don't want to be bothered by interning them and supporting them. Nor do they want their countryside made into a Sino-Japanese battlefield. It is much less troublesome to entrench and keep out all would-be invaders.

But the Russian activities show that they know what conditions are south and west of the Siberian border, and that they have no idea that the government of Henry Pu-Yi is going to be able to impose peace within the far-too-widespread territory which it has undertaken to control — always by means of the Japanese army. That this reading is correct is demonstrated by the fact that the provincial governors in the north and east of Manchuria seem quite unable to hold their own against the Chinese patriots, who have beaten their forces and have approached within a few miles of towns occupied by Japanese troops.

If telegraphic protests against the tax bill were as numerous as reported, a tax on these telegrams ought to balance the budget.

The public wants a man to think well of himself, but it becomes mighty bored when he begins to voice his thoughts.

England need not remain poor. Let every Englishman buy something he doesn't need and pay a shilling down.

DEFICIT RISES DAILY.

The daily revenue of the Federal Government during the present fiscal year has averaged \$5,825,000, as compared with the daily average of \$8,894,000 in the previous fiscal year; while daily expenditures have averaged \$12,680,000 as compared with \$11,082,000 per day in the fiscal year 1931, according to statistics made available April 2 at the Treasury Department.

The average daily excess of expenditures over receipts during the present fiscal year is \$6,855,000, while during the previous fiscal year it was \$2,186,000 for the period up to March 31, according to the information. The total deficit for the current fiscal year on March 31 was \$1,885,283,000, a new high point. It rose from \$1,861,772,000 on March 30 because of a draft for \$20,000,000 drawn on the Treasury by the Post Office Department, the information revealed.

Additional information made available follows:

Prior to the end of the month the deficit had reduced slightly under the pressure of quarterly income tax collection. After reaching \$1,876,463,000 on March 14, the day before the collections began, the deficit fell back to the low point for the month, \$1,801,789,000, on March 19.

Up to the close of March the Government had collected \$1,601,934,900 in revenue and spent \$3,487,218,600 on running expenses. Its deficit, therefore, was 117 per cent of its total collections, and the average excess of expenditures over receipts for each of the 275 calendar days was \$6,855,000.

Revenue has fallen off 34 per cent thus far in the fiscal year, and expenditures have increased 14 per cent. These facts are reflected in the deficit for the first nine months of the preceding fiscal year, ending in March, 1931, which stood at \$599,178,000 or \$1,286,000,000 under the deficit on March, 1932.

The Post Office Department, whose draft for \$20,000,000 on March 31 helped to send the deficit to its new record high on that day, has been one of the major drains on the Treasury during this fiscal year. It has drawn a total of \$145,000,000 to cover its deficiency on operating expenses.

Other major charges against the public funds have been general expenditures, \$1,943,000,000; allocations to the sinking fund, \$355,300,000; interest on the public debt \$351,

BUY AT HOME—CHEAP-ER.

Corsicana is coming into her own. There was for a time a disposition on the part of the local merchants to give up to what was thought the lure of the large places. This possibility led some to be afraid to increase stocks, to cut off the lines in which it appeared the people were going to cities to buy.

But in the last year or two the local merchants have found out that prices of city stores on many items were high — so high in fact that these items could be sold lower here at a profit.

This has proven true in many places the size of Corsicana. The local merchants are the first to see the advantages in low overhead. Consequently, in many different lines the buying public is coming to see in the Corsicana stores good items priced lower than the city stores have them marked.

And this tendency to look at the home display is made more common by the fact that our merchants and business men are using their home newspaper more than ever before to call attention to their goods and prices.

The fact is that we are all getting wise to the fact that we have satisfaction by dealing with home folks. There is a wonderful satisfaction in this for all of us, if we stop to think about it.

The local business men in a real sense — make the town better and in an indirect way make the whole

200,000; veterans' bonus fund, \$200,000,000; the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, \$163,500,000; and the Federal Farm Board, \$101,900,000.

Compared with the same period of the previous fiscal year the expenditures have been less this year for the sinking fund, interest on the public debt, the Farm Board and the bonus. They have been greater for general operations, for the Post Office Department and for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation which was not in existence last year.

On March 31 the gross public debt stood at \$18,506,720,000, having increased \$380,000,000 during the month. It was \$18,125,000,000 at the end of February. Borrowings of the

Government during this fiscal year have amounted to \$7,686,000,000 or an average of \$850,000,000 for each of the nine months. This money has been used to cover the entire deficit and to refinance maturing obligations.

RAILROAD RELIEF

The limited freight rate increase granted on specified commodities by the Interstate Commerce Commission for the purpose of easing the credit situation has not proved a substantial contribution to the solution of the troubles of the railroads.

When the rail carriers asked for a flat 15 per cent boost in freight rates, the commission countered with

a promise of modified increases on certain cargoes if the revenue they yielded were pooled and given to the roads in need. A compromise plan agreed upon granted some increases and provides for lending the yield to needy roads.

When the plan was under discussion the probable yield was estimated at \$100,000,000. Returns to date indicate that estimate was optimistic by fully 50 per cent.

In the meantime the Railroad Credit Corporation has gone ahead approving loans on the basis of an annual yield of \$100,000,000 without funds in hand to pay them. This it has been able to do by leaning on the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The fact is that we are all getting wise to the fact that we have satisfaction by dealing with home folks.

Take Corsicana off the map and every farm within ten miles is worth less as a farm, and much less as a place to live.

The tendency to buy at home is growing stronger wherever the people are served by real business men, as is the case in Corsicana.

The good roads will make Corsicana — they have shown our merchants and our people how much lower the same goods can be handled here with its lower overhead charges.

If you have the habit of buying out of town at least give the local merchant a chance to sell you before looking elsewhere.

Dean Inge, of St. Paul's, believes that reading aloud takes the reader along at just the right pace. On the other hand, it may tend to hasten the listener.

Perhaps it's a good thing to have six or eight scientists around who understand an Einstein theory, in case the professor needs it explained.

Walter Damrosch says crooners are more to be pitied than scorned. Why? The crooners scorn but pity not the listeners.

Telling a girl her petticoat is showing is not polite because they don't wear petticoats.

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR MEETING HERE SONS OF REVOLUTION

STATE CONVENTION SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION BE HELD TUESDAY

Program for the annual convention of the Texas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution which will be held in Corsicana at the Navarro Hotel, on Tuesday, April 19, was announced Friday by Edward M. Polk, Sr., state president of the organization.

The meeting will be called to order at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and Chaplain H. J. Ellis of Corsicana will pronounce the invocation, which will be followed by the presentation of the colors and the singing of "America."

The address of welcome will be delivered by Comp. Beauford H. Jester of Corsicana and will be followed by a welcome from Mrs. Ballard W. George, regent of the James Blair chapter, D. A. R. The response to the address of welcome will be made by Comp. P. L. Downs of Temple.

Greetings will be extended the convention by Mrs. James E. Gardner, Fort Worth, state president, National Parades of Colonial Dames of America.

Greetings and an address will be delivered by Mrs. W. A. Morrow, of Waco, state chaplain of Daughters of American Revolution. Her subject will be "Mary Ball Washington."

Hon. C. W. Taylor of Corsicana, former assistant attorney general of Texas, will deliver the principal address of the morning with his subject, "George Washington."

At the conclusion of the morning session, committees of the convention will be named by the president.

The luncheon program entertainment features were arranged by Mrs. Jack Hawx, with Miss Ethel Mae Tatum in charge of decorations. A colonial minuteman will be presented by Misses Frances Allen, Clover Rutherford and Celesta Norris, and Allen Edens Jr., Robert Wheelock Jr. and George Leonard Jr.

A group of colonial songs will be presented by Mrs. R. W. Gross with Edward F. Hearn at the piano.

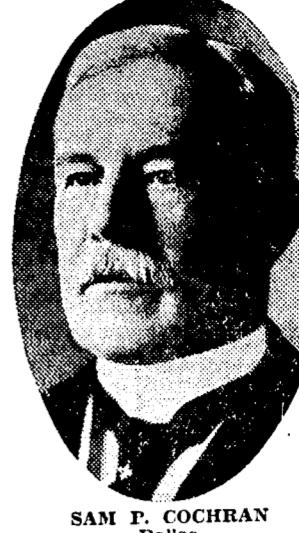
Dances of colonial days will be presented by Misses René Coulson and Nanette Birkhead.

Hon. Sam P. Cochran of Dallas will be the principal speaker at the luncheon.

The afternoon session will be called to order at 2 o'clock by President Polk, and will include the business of the convention. James C. Jones, secretary-treasurer, and Charles J. Maxwell, registrar, will present their annual reports followed by reports of committee, election of officers, retiring of the colors, and adjournment.

The officers of the society are Edward M. Polk, Corsicana, president; T. D. Hart, Ft. Worth, vice-president; James C. Jones, Dallas, secretary-treasurer; J. Maxwell, Dallas, registrar.

In the meantime the Rail-

SpeakerSAM P. COCHRAN
Dallas.

Principal speaker at the luncheon session of the Texas Society of Sons of the American Revolution next Tuesday will be Sam P. Cochran, prominent attorney and fraternalist of Dallas. Mr. Cochran is well-known in Corsicana especially in Masonic circles. He is inspector general for the southern division of Scottish Rite masonry.

STATE HOME BOYS WON HONORS RECENT JUDGING CONTESTS

HUNTSVILLE, April 15.—(Spl.)—Several State Home boys in agriculture won honors in the competition staged here Saturday, April 9, against eight-four teams composed of 350 boys from twenty counties.

Contests were staged in entomology, plant production, poultry, dairying, stock judging, farm shop and terracing. The contest was arranged and sponsored by the department of teacher-training in vocational agriculture at Sam Houston State Teachers College here.

The following boys from the State Home, Corsicana, were winners: Arthur Koenig, Alvin Myers, Lee Gourley, Alvin Myers made the highest individual score with 103. The team was accompanied by D. B. Pitts, teacher.

The State Home placed second in the dairy cattle contest.

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SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS HEARS LOVE SUIT ARGUMENTS

TEST OF LEGALITY LOYALTY PLEDGE FOR DEMOCRATS BEFORE HIGH COURT

AUSTIN, April 16.—(AP)—The Texas supreme court today took submission of a case brought by former Senator Thomas B. Love of Dallas to test legality of a fealty pledge ordered imposed on participants in the Democratic presidential conventions May 7.

Love brought suit in a Dallas district court on invitation of the official board of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, challenging authority of the state Democratic executive committee to require one taking part in the conventions to pledge himself to support the party nominees for president and vice president.

The district court dismissed the suit, holding there were no statutes restricting the party managers in controlling political party affairs. Appeal was taken to the fifth court of civil appeals at Dallas and in order to hasten a final determination of the issue trial court certified the question of legality of the pledge to the court of last resort in Texas.

Arguments were heard by a nine-judge court, consisting of three supreme court judges and the six members of the two commissions of appeals.

Briefs also will be filed, it was announced and a decision was not possible before the court's next regular opinion day next Thursday, the court having adjourned after arguments were concluded until May 20.

Senator Love appeared on behalf of his contention that action of the executive committee was unsupported by the statutes and the other side was presented by J. Hart Willis and Albert Sidney Johnson, both of Dallas. Johnson is secretary of the state executive committee.

Former Gov. Dan Moody plans to file a brief in support of Love's contention, it was announced.

Love Argument.

Love told the court the trial court's judgment "generally based upon the fallacious theory of the law that the democratic state executive committee, created by and controlled by the election laws of Texas, has the power to do anything not expressly forbidden by statute."

"This is the antithesis of the sound position which is that any statutory creature whose powers are prescribed by statute, is, by necessary implication, inhibited from doing anything not included in the statutory powers or necessary incidental to the exercise of those powers," Love said.

Love contended that a study of Article 3167 "under all the rules of construction of statutes" inhibits the "prescription of any pledge as a condition of voting in presidential precinct primary conventions."

Legislative Intent.

"Can there be any question that if the legislature had intended to allow the state executive committee composed of thirty-one members, in addition to selecting the place for holding the state convention, to also require qualified voters desiring to participate in the presidential precinct primaries to sign an unconditional agreement to vote for the nominees in November, that the legislature would have said so in the act just as it did say that the state executive committee should designate the place for holding the state convention and stop there?" Love asked, adding other interrogations including:

"Can there be any doubt that if the legislature had intended that in addition to being qualified voters of their voting precincts, those participating in the convention should also comply with such additional requirements as the state executive committee might see fit to promulgate, that the legislature would have said so just as it did say that the qualified voters of each voting precinct shall assemble on the day named and hold the primary elections?"

"Well, Love said so."

"Can there be any doubt what ever, under all of the canons of construction, and under the dictates of plain common sense, that if the legislature had intended that any person whose name was on the 'certified list of the qualified voters' which the statute prescribes shall be used 'the same as is required in conducting a general election' should be denied the right to vote, that the legislature would have said so, just as it did say that no person shall 'be permitted to vote or to participate in the business of such convention, until it is made to appear that he is a qualified voter in said precinct.'

Love said there was no doubt but that Article 3167 "provided for a system of presidential precinct primary conventions, to be composed of democratic qualified voters; and that each qualified voter should determine for himself whether or not he was democrat and evidence his party affiliation by his attendance upon and offering to participate in the precinct primary convention of his choice."

Let Conscience Be Guide.

"Altogether the most rational means of ascertaining whether or not a man or woman is a democrat is to let each qualified voter speak on that subject for himself while requiring that the precinct primary conventions of all political parties shall be held on the same day, and providing that it shall be a criminal offense for any voter to participate in the primary convention of more than one party."

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FEDERAL JUDGE REFUSES DISSOLVE OIL INJUNCTION

TOLD ATTORNEYS FOR SIX EAST TEXAS COMPANIES CASE MUST BE TRIED

TYLER, April 16.—(AP)—Federal Judge Randolph Bryant today told attorneys for six oil companies operating in East Texas that he would not dissolve temporary injunctions preventing them from exceeding allowances prescribed by the Texas railroad commission.

The judge said the cases would be tried on their merits. "I like taking no personal responsibility of disturbing conditions in the East Texas oil field at this time, pending the outcome of the three judge court decision on May 30, but at the same time I do not desire to deprive plaintiffs not the court of the right to accumulate evidence."

The six companies some time ago were granted an injunction restraining enforcement of the commission's orders. The commission then asked and obtained a counter-order preventing the companies from producing over all that was prescribed in the allowable.

Today's hearing was devoted largely to argument over tests the companies wished to make of their wells to determine oil-gas ratios.

Chairman C. V. Terrell of the railroad commission and Assistant Attorney General Fred Upchurch represented the commission at today's hearing. There were extended conferences over the proposed tests.

Both sides finally acceded to the judge's decision to allow seven-day varying test runs at the wells. They ranged from a six-hour test at the rate of 75 barrels daily to a one-hour test at the rate of 500 barrels daily.

The present allowable in the field is 67 barrels per well daily.

Upchurch insisted that excess oil run in making the tests should be followed by restrictions to provide a proper average flow.

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Beauty Chats

By Edna Kent Forbes

All requests for beauty information desired by Edna Kent Forbes column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope (a. s. e.) and two cents in stamps to cover cost of printing and handling.

For the illustrated pamphlet, "BEAUTY," ten cents in stamps with fully a.s.e. must be enclosed. Address Miss Forbes in care of this paper.

FOOT TREATMENTS

Do you come back from work or a day's shopping, with swollen and aching feet? It may be your shoes. If you think that, wear low-heeled, broad-toed sports shoes for business and shopping. It may be that you need a foot treatment; in which case, go to a pedicurist, if you can afford one, and to a foot clinic if you can't.

Meantime, here is a treatment to draw the aches out of your feet quickly. It will also draw the tired lines out of your face, for nothing makes the face old and wrinkled as quickly as aching feet.

Pull off shoes and stockings. Put your feet into a basin of hot water for one minute, scrubbing them all over with a hand scrubbing brush and soap. Dry quickly, and cover them with oil. If you are in a hurry, never mind the scrubbing, though it makes the treatment more effective, because it opens the pores at once and lets the oil soak into the skin.

Rub the oil all over the feet, working it in between the toes, under the nails and into the soles of the feet. Wring a large Turkish towel out of hot water and roll both feet in this. The heat penetrates and soothes, and lets more oil soak into the skin. When the towel cools, wring it again from hot water and roll up the feet. Do this several times if you can. There is nothing more refreshing, more soothing, nothing which will more quickly take away aches and pains than this. In case of nervous sleeplessness, this is a fine remedy, too, for it quickly draws the blood away from the throbbing head, down into the feet, where it is needed.

The hot towels, also, remove the surface oil, so you need have no fear of your stockings staining, or your bed clothes, if you try this treatment just before retiring. Yet some of the oil is taken up by the skin, which remains softer for it. And it is a fine way to keep corns from hurting and to soften the hard, callous skin of the corns.

G. S.—The toxic condition that caused the boils also caused this collection of whiteheads now on your face. They are clogged pores

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AND SO MR. BERNIE BURNS FINDS THAT HIS ATTEMPT TO PROVE THAT A GOWANUS BOY IS AS GOOD WITH A YODEL AS ANY SWISS THAT EVER STRADDLED AN ALP IS ALL FOR NAUGHT. 4-18

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A CROSS
1. Spread loosely
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3. Existence
4. European
5. Inch
6. Color
7. Kind of coffee
8. Act of getting fire from another
9. Come forth
10. Large deer
11. Shatter
12. Have a drink
13. Devour
14. Cereal seeds
15. Prevents
16. Fend off
17. Brazilian horse
18. Money of account
19. Pronoun
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21. Webfooted
22. Female sheep
23. Word of assent
24. By means of
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28. More willing
29. Friends
30. Brasilian
31. Place
32. Drown
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34. By devils
35. Agrees aside
36. Like
37. South American country
38. Go in
39. Completed at
40. Monsoons
41. Cessation
42. Cessation
43. Moisture
44. Finished
45. Syllable of hesitation

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

9. Kind of fur
10. Segment of a curve
11. Golf ground
12. Wild person
13. Winged
14. Foot covering
15. Biblical word
16. Unknown meaning
17. Pine tree state
18. Mountain ridges
19. Stings of insects
20. Feminine name
21. Body of military troops
22. Took into service
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24. Star in the constellation
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STOCK MARKET IN UNCERTAIN MOOD MONDAY OPENING

STOCKS WERE BOLSTERED BY RIPPLE OF BUYING AFTER MORNING SAG

NEW YORK, April 18.—(AP)—The stock market had a quiet sinking spell today, after a general leading issues into a new low grounds for the 1929-32 decline, but trading dwindled to the smallest volume in weeks. The turnover was well under a million shares but there were several net losses of one to four points. The closing tone was heavy.

NEW YORK, April 18.—(AP)—The stock market wobbled uncertainly at the start of the new week to-day.

While improved sentiment in banking and brokerage circles which developed last week was still apparent, the week end business and trade reports failed to provide enough encouragement to banish the cautious attitude toward stocks and trading was sluggish. Even the bond market, after the sweeping gains of last week, was given a breathing spell.

After a morning sag which carried some stocks to new lows, the market was bolstered for a time by a slight buying in the railroads. The market turned heavy again, by early afternoon, however.

American Telephone sagged 2 points to a new low since 1921. It then recovered partially. U. S. Steel sagged a point to 32 1/4 before meeting support. Eastman dropped 3 points and Coca Cola 2. Rails up a point or so included Chasapeake & Ohio, New York Central, Union Pacific and Santa Fe, but in the main these advances were short lived.

The rails received some stimulation from early reports of March earnings. Chasapeake & Ohio made a particularly favorable showing, with net operating income of \$2,866,022, a gain of about \$500,000 over a year previously. Other favorable aspects of the railroad outlook were indications of further progress in the Eastern trunkline consolidation plans and the interstate commerce commissions' special report urging coordination of railway and motor traffic and federal regulation of motor vehicles operating in interstate traffic.

Reports from the steel industry indicated a slight pickup in production this week, with a little expansion in buying by automobile makers.

CURT TRADE SMALLER.

NEW YORK, April 18.—(AP)—Trading on the curb diminished substantially today. Price changes, as a rule, were unimportant, although the market was able to steady after a mild reaction early in the day.

A moderate amount of stock appeared for sale at the opening, bringing fractional reactions in the number of leaders. When this had been cleaned up, however, the market appeared indisposed to follow the decline further and a more cheerful tone developed, with leaders recovering their losses.

Activity again was most pronounced in the utility section. Electric Bond and Share, after dropping a full point, returned to the neighborhood of Saturday's final quotation. Northern States Power stocks did especially well. Commonwealth Edison sold lower.

The decline in Cities Service earnings last year, when net totalled \$62,106,000 against \$84,862,000 in 1930, was attributed almost entirely to demoralized conditions in the oil industry.

Changes among industrials and specialties were mostly small. Little interest was taken in the oils.

Search for Negro Who Killed White Man in Louisiana

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—(AP)—A hundred men with blood hounds searched a swamp 30 miles above New Orleans today for a negro who shot a white man to death, wounding eight negroes and another white man.

Without warning, the negro armed with an automatic shotgun and two revolvers, appeared yesterday at the drag line machine at work on the Red River Spillway and opened fire, instantly killing John Haney of Algiers, and narrowly missing his helper, G. Dunkel.

The negro then fled toward La Branch where he shot and wounded a merchant. Next he attacked a group of nine negroes and wounded all but one. He then disappeared in a swamp.

The negro, unidentified, had lived in a hut near the spillway.

Humble Joins Other Companies in Cutting

HOUSTON, April 18.—(AP)—The Humble Oil and Refining company will purchase and produce East Texas crude oil at the rate of 62 barrels per well daily effective tomorrow, the company announced today.

Last Friday the Texas Railroad Commission reduced the per well allowable from 71 to 67 barrels daily. Saturday the Magnolia company announced it would produce and purchase at the rate of 62 barrels per well daily.

Herbert Scales Is Facing Trial Today

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 18.—(P)—Four jurors had been selected this afternoon to try Herbert Scales of Dallas, Texas, and Ralph Arnall in connection with the \$29,000 Union Planter National branch bank robbery here May 4, 1931. Testimony was expected to begin tomorrow.

TWO DIE IN PLANE CRASH

LIVERMORE, Maine, April 18.—(P)—Two men were killed today when their small airplane cracked up on the bank of the Androscoggin river and burst into flames. The dead are James Malloy, of Berlin, N.J., pilot and owner of the plane, and Fred Maxwell, of Livermore.

SHOWER AT LAREDO.

LAREDO, April 18.—(P)—A blustery northwest wind brought rain last night to the Laredo section, about .25 inch fell, ending a dry period of several weeks duration. Cattlemen said much more rain is needed to relieve a dry situation on the range.

Markets

Local Markets

Cotton seed \$10.00

Cotton

Texas spot market—

Dallas 5.65

Brown 5.15

Galveston 5.15

New Orleans Cotton Table—

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures ready at 6 to 6 points:

Blot Low Close

May 6.11 6.00 6.24

June 6.20 6.42 6.24

July 6.52 6.47 6.48

December 6.70 6.95 6.62

March 6.67 6.77 6.75

June 6.88 6.88 6.87

New York Cotton Table—

NEW YORK, April 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures:

Blot Low Close

May 6.10 6.05 6.24

June 6.28 6.22 6.24

July 6.53 6.47 6.48

December 6.70 6.95 6.62

March 6.68 6.88 6.87

New Orleans Spots Steady.

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady at 5 points down. Sales 5.22; low middling, 5.67; middling, 6.02; good ordinary, 6.46; good ordinary, 6.76; good extra, 6.95; good extra, 7.15.

Chicago Cotton Futures—

CHICAGO, April 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed: May 6.18; July 6.05; October 6.30.

Liverpool Spots Lower.

LIVERPOOL, April 18.—(AP)—Cotton, 8.10; American, 8.00; American, 7.90; India, 7.80; Australia, 7.70; South Africa, 7.60; Canada, 7.50; Japan, 7.40; China, 7.30; Turkey, 7.20; Egypt, 7.10; Brazil, 7.00; Argentina, 6.90; Chile, 6.80; Peru, 6.70; Uruguay, 6.60; Venezuela, 6.50; Mexico, 6.40; Spain, 6.30; Portugal, 6.20; Italy, 6.10; Greece, 6.00; Russia, 5.90; Poland, 5.80; Czechoslovakia, 5.70; Hungary, 5.60; Yugoslavia, 5.50; Turkey, 5.40; India, 5.30; Australia, 5.20; South Africa, 5.10; Canada, 5.00; Japan, 4.90; China, 4.80; Brazil, 4.70; Argentina, 4.60; Chile, 4.50; Peru, 4.40; Uruguay, 4.30; Venezuela, 4.20; Mexico, 4.10; Spain, 4.00; Portugal, 3.90; Italy, 3.80; Greece, 3.70; Russia, 3.60; Poland, 3.50; Yugoslavia, 3.40; Turkey, 3.30; India, 3.20; Australia, 3.10; South Africa, 3.00; Canada, 2.90; Japan, 2.80; China, 2.70; Brazil, 2.60; Argentina, 2.50; Chile, 2.40; Peru, 2.30; Uruguay, 2.20; Venezuela, 2.10; Mexico, 2.00; Spain, 1.90; Portugal, 1.80; Italy, 1.70; Greece, 1.60; 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ENFORCEMENT IN PROHIBITION IS DEMANDED BY WOMEN

WOMEN'S NATIONAL COM-
MITTEE FOR LAW ENFORCE-
MENT MEET IN CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—Rigid enforcement of prohibition and ample appropriations to carry it out were demanded today by the Women's National Committee for Law Enforcement at meeting here.

These demands, expressed in resolutions adopted by the committee's executive body, were carried to congress at noon by hundreds of women prohibition supporters, headed by Mrs. Henry W. Peabody of Massachusetts and Florida.

The resolutions declared "we deplore persistent attack on the constitution, the supreme law, by a minority in congress, sworn to support and defend the law who are acting in the interest of the return of the outlawed liquor traffic."

Opposition to repeal of the 18th amendment, modification or any weakening of the Volstead Act also was expressed in the resolution which was to be presented to a committee to Speaker Garner and Vice President Curtis.

The Women's National Committee made the suggestion that ambassadors to foreign countries be instructed that they represent the interests and government of America and after the passing of the American first which "involves their respect for our constitutional law and their observance and defense of that law while they are in office."

GRADUAL REDUCTION IN WORLD ARMAMENTS IS RECEIVING BACKING

PROPOSE REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS IN SUC- CESSIVE STAGES

GENEVA, April 18.—(P)—A proposal recommending that reduction of armaments be achieved in successive stages received wide approval from delegates at the world conference here this morning and was referred to the conference drafting committee.

The proposal, presented by the delegations of Spain, Belgium, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Norway, Estonia and Uruguay, provided that successive stages of disarming be achieved through revisions of the arms reduction convention, at short intervals.

It was supported by the French and Polish delegations and by Sir John Simon, Naotake Sato and Dino Grandi, chiefs of the British, Japanese and Italian delegations.

Secretary of State Frank L. Sumson remained at his villa today, confined there by a slight cold and there was great disappointment among the delegates and spectators when he did not appear at the meeting of the conference.

Happy Birthday Surprise For Aged Resident of Angus

At 10 o'clock, April 15, the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gillen began to gather at their home in the Angus community in honor of the 72nd birthday of Mr. Gillen.

At noon, they were invited into the dining room. In the center of the dining table was the beautiful birthday cake with 72 candles, brought by Mrs. Willie Gillen. The cake was surrounded by everything that goes with a good dinner.

The occasion was Mr. Gillen's birthday. He was 72 years old. He receives a number of gifts.

Mr. Gillen is the father of 12 children and has 16 grandchildren. Those enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gillen of Angus, Mrs. Genie Stanford and family of Mexia, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gillen of Corsicana, Mr. Buster Gillen of Corsicana; Mrs. Smith Gillen and family of Mexia, Mr. and Mrs. Susie Gleason of Blooming Grove.

The children are now looking forward to May 13, which is Mrs. Gillen's birthday.

CONTRIBUTED.

St. Elmo Cemetery Association to Meet

A meeting of the St. Elmo Cemetery association will be held Friday, April 22, it has been announced, by officials. All interested are urged to attend and an invitation is extended to the public and to candidates, it was said.

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Courthouse News

District Court

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the fourth week of the April term of the Thirteenth judicial district for the week, beginning Monday, April 25:

J. C. Carver, Roane 1; W. B. Dawson, Roan 1; C. Healer, Richland; J. T. Hammond, Richland; D. B. Nettle, Streetman 1; T. L. Sherrill, Streetman; J. K. Hawthorne, Streetman; J. C. Parker, Corsicana 1; W. D. Bennett, Ennis; Roy Sessions, Kerens 1; A. L. Simmons, Kerens 1; W. C. Watson, Powell 1; M. R. Ship, Chaffield; Willi Sands, Chaffield; O. L. Elkins, Ennis; H. G. White, Navarro; R. W. Harry 2; W. T. Frazee, Corsicana; W. D. Cooper, Denison 2; T. F. Coley, Corsicana; G. W. French, Frost.

The pastor, Rev. Dave Cagle, came to Frost following the cyclone and since his coming here, he has built up a large membership, increased unday school attendance and B. Y. P. U. activities and was recognized by the state board as one of the first churches during 1932 to thoroughly standardize the Sunday school.

Training schools are held each regular Sunday in Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. departments. A training school in these departments will begin here Sunday.

FROST BAPTISTS WIN ATTENDANCE HONOR AT DALLAS

FROST, April 18.—(Spl.)—Frost Baptist church brought home the attendance banner from the Texas Baptist Convention which met in Dallas last week. The convention offered a banner for the largest per cent of church membership in attendance on the first day, and with a local attendance of thirty-three Frost Baptist church was recognized by the convention in open session and awarded the banner.

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Officers Elected By County Singers State Home Meet

J. O. Sessions, Bazzette, and Harold Blankenship, Petty's Chapel, were re-elected president and secretary-treasurer respectively of the Navarro County Singers association at the annual meeting held at the State Home Sunday.

The auditorium was filled to capacity for the singing Sunday. Representatives from Dallas, Waco, Wills Point, Terrell, Murchison, Henderson and from limestone, Freestone, Hill and Ellis counties.

The meeting was said to have been one of the best in the history of the organization.

War Debts

(Continued From Page 1) debts. Because this runs contrary to the administration position, as it became evident after the decisive congressional vote last fall against revision, the turn of events will be followed extremely close henceforth.

The great powers of Europe will meet at Lausanne, Switzerland, in June to decide primarily what shall be done about reparations. Germany has said she cannot continue the payments on the first due July 15, and has been supported in that position by international economists who met at Basle and analyzed German finances.

Consequently the Lausanne meeting will have for its first task the decision as to what is to be done about Germany's prospective early default.

Much of the money which other powers have been paying on debts to the United States has been obtained from Germany. Consequently a discontinuance of German payments to the combatant nations which do not default in payments to the United States to find other means of raising these sums.

Great Britain is the chief debtor of the United States and in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, must make payment aggregating \$171,500,000. For the same period other powers are obligated to pay: France \$60,000,000; Germany, \$15,700,000; Italy \$14,700,000; Belgium, \$8,450,000.

Justice Court.

One was fined by Judge J. L. Cox during the weekend on a charge of alleged violation of the state highway laws.

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Motor Vehicles

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state commerce is desirable in the public interest."

The commission's decision brings to a close an investigation which has been under way for five years. Lee J. Flynn, an examiner, who with Commissioner Brainerd conducted the investigation, several months ago submitted a proposed report recommending regulation of trucks and buses.

The commission's decision carries out his recommendations to the letter. Asserting that the federal government is wholly inexperienced in this field of regulation, the commission said it deemed "it wise to make haste slowly."

"Our recommendation is, therefore," said the report, "that congress provide at once to put general regulation to the test so far as transportation of passengers by motor buses in concerned. This would provide an organization for such further steps in motor vehicle regulation, experience and added information may allow to be desirable and practicable."

Would Exercise Authority.

"We also recommend that immediate authority be exercised over motor trucks of both the common carrier and contract type to the extent necessary to locate those which are operating in interstate commerce and obtain from them such information in regard to their operations as the commission may reasonably require.

"This way data will be secured which, with the legal situation clarified, will be of great aid in pointing the way to further regulation in the public interest."

"Our recommendations, therefore, be regarded in the light of a progress report. They do not cover the utmost which we believe will ultimately prove necessary and desirable in the way of federal regulation of motor vehicles. They represent merely the first step which we believe is wise and practicable to take under existing conditions."

Chairman Rayburn of the house interstate commerce committee said his group had been waiting for the commission report before giving further consideration to regulation of buses and trucks.

"I made a request for a bill affecting both bus and truck regulation based on the commission's findings," the Texas Democrat said. "Meanwhile, the house interstate commerce committee has reported out the bill repealing the recapture clause of the transportation act of 1920 and this week we expect to report to the house bill to place railroad holding companies under the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission."

"Bus and truck regulation will be our next order of business. The house interstate commerce committee in the last congress reported a bill to regulate buses but in this congress it has waited to see what action the senate would take. Now we will consider both buses and trucks."

Rayburn said his committee had realized the necessity for regulation of bus and truck transportation of interstate commerce for some time but had deferred to obtain the report from the interstate commerce commission before going ahead in order to have detailed information for it.

"Personally," the Texan said, "I think that legislation to put out of business a competitor is never justified, but the competitor should be placed under the same reasonable regulation as the carried with which it competes."

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SUPREME COURT TO REVIEW DECISION

OIL AND GAS TAX

HIGHEST TRIBUNAL CLEARS DOCKET OF SEVERAL PE- TITIONS ON MONDAY

WASHINGTON, April 18.—(P)—The supreme court formally dismissed several cases today that it previously had indicated it would not consider and passed on numerous petitions for review of new contests.

Michigan and South Carolina won, temporarily, at least, the attack brought against their motor vehicle and electric power tax laws. The court threw out cases brought against them, deciding that lower courts had not yet passed on the question.

After dismissing a few other cases, the court turned to the stack of petitions for review before it. Those it granted will be argued and probably decided later. Those refused will be governed by the ruling of the last highest court.

Petitions for review passed on

Granted: The contest by the commissioner of internal revenue of a ruling that bonus received by owner of oil and gas land in Texas for executing an oil and gas lease was taxable at lower rates than ordinary income.

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Hanging

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the prairie country here for a while thwarted the intentions of the mob which hanged Richard Read early today.

A witness, who declined to permit use of his name, said it was necessary to go about five miles from the scene of the death of Dorothy Hunter to find a tree.

As the caravan arrived, the motor cars in it were deployed about the tree in a circle, the headlights supplying the light by which the mob carried out its preparations. The alleged attacker was bound by barbed wire.

"If it wasn't for liquor," Read said, "I wouldn't have done it. I would not do it again."

He asked that his watch be given to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Read, who live three miles northeast of Relford.

The mob dispersed rapidly after the hanging.

State Probe Planned.

TOPEKA, April 18.—(P)—Roland Baynton, state attorney general, said today an investigation would be made of the lynching of Richard Read, 53-year-old confessed attacker and slayer of eight-year-old Dorothy Hunter.

Makes Personal Probe.

TOPEKA, Kans., April 18.—(P)—Roland Baynton, state's attorney general, departed today for Atwood to make a personal investigation of the lynching of Richard Read, 53-year-old confessed attacker and slayer of eight-year-old Dorothy Hunter.

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